Written testimony in support of SB 184 and HB 5262

Attention: Senator Mae Flexer and Representative Dan Fox

I am writing to express my support of SB 184 (An Act Extending Through November 8, 2022, Several Changes Regarding Election Administration as a Result of Covid-19 and Concerning Eligibility to Vote by Absentee Ballot) and HB 5262 (An Act Revising Certain Voting Eligibility Statutes).

I support Absentee Ballot voting and urge the CT State Legislature to extend AB voting through November 8, 2022 to allow CT voters to vote safely during the Covid pandemic. While it seems that Covid-19 is currently waning in CT, the history of the Covid pandemic suggest that there may be additional unpredictable serious outbreaks in the future. CT voters should be able to exercise their right to vote without fear of illness to themselves or family members. Thank you.

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